

## **Polk County Behavioral Health Naloxone Procedure**

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of deploying Naloxone within Polk County Psychiatric Services, Public Health and other Polk County Community Partners is to accelerate the reversal of accidental or intentional opiate overdoses in an effort to save human life.

### **TRAINING**

PCBH Medical and Clinical Directors will maintain oversight of these procedures. Any staff or community partner who is issued and/or carries or deploys Naloxone shall have been trained prior to deployment and within the last twelve consecutive months of the date of deployment. The training shall, at minimum, meet requirements set forth by the Oregon Health Authority (OHA).

1. PCBH Staff or Community Partner's staff will complete the [OHA a training protocol](#).
2. Each site will have a designated "Authorized Trainer" who will be responsible to oversee the training of staff as detailed below and will need to complete the form titled; "[Opiate Overdose Response Training – Statement of Completion](#)"
3. Training would consist of two videos and the OHA training protocol sheet at minimum once per year. Only the nasal delivery system will be issued.

Training Video #1

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m9wgPiuCtGI>

(A discussion to highlight the Ohio law mentioned in the video is not applicable to Oregon).

Training Video #2

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jis6NIZMV2c>

4. Once training is completed the designated "Authorized Trainer" will submit the form titled "Opiate Overdose Response Training - Statement of Completion" to Polk County Behavioral Health, ATTN: Dr. Soto, Psychiatric Services. Support staff will obtain Dr. Soto's signature on the form (which serves as the prescription), then route to an identified Pharmacy in the community. PCBH Psychiatric Services will maintain a list of all trained staff and community partners on Google Docs and share this document with all PCBH Managers, Medical Director, and BH Director.

### **OBTAINING NALOXONE**

Naloxone shall be obtained through use of OHA's "Authorization to Obtain" document or other order or prescription as determined by the designated overseeing medical provider. Each community partner, site or department will be responsible for their own purchase of Naloxone.

### **STORAGE AND USE**

Naloxone shall be stored and used in a manner consistent with department training; "Naloxone should be stored away from strong light in a cool dry place (although not refrigerated)". Storage

of Naloxone on PCBH grounds will be clearly marked in a designated place along with the list of persons authorized for the administration of Naloxone. Naloxone will be administered in consistent with OHA training procedure.

#### **AFTER CARE**

Any time Naloxone is used, 911 is immediately called and medics shall be requested at the scene.

#### **DOCUMENTATION**

Use of Naloxone will be documented on an Incident Report by Polk County Behavioral Staff. Community partners who are enrolled in the program will be responsible for following their internal Policy and Procedure for collecting/filing of an Incident Report (or the agency's equivalent incident reporting procedure/forms) . All reports will detail observations leading to use, after care and status of the person it was used on as of clearing from the incident.